

Indian Post Office Act, 1898

Section 40 - Duty of Master of Ship, Departing from Any Port in India and Not Being a Mail Ship, to Convey Mail Bags

The master of ship, not being a mail ship, about to depart from any port in¹[India] to any port within, or any port or place beyond,¹[India], shall receive on board any mail bag tendered to him by any officer of the Post Office for conveyance, granting a receipt there for in such form as the Central Government may, by rule, prescribe, and shall, without delay, deliver the same at the port or place of destination.

1. Substituted by Act 25 of 1950, sec. 11 and Sch. IV, for "the States".